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SUBJECT: GULBENKIAN REQUEST FOR MODERN MUSEUM OF ART EXHIBIT

1. DR. NOBRE DE GUSMAO, DIRECTOR OF ART EXHIBITS AT GULBENKIAN FOUNDATION, HAS INFORMED EMBASSY THAT GULBENKIAN HAS BEEN IN TOUCH WITH MUSEUM OF MODERN ART (MOMA) RE POSSIBILITY OF BRINGING TO PORTUGAL SURREALIST ART EXHIBIT MOMA IS SENDING TO FIVE EUROPEAN COUNTRIES. GULBENKIAN STATES THAT DR. RATHMUNSEN OF MOMA IS AWAITING REPLY FROM COPENHAGEN WHICH WILL DECIDE WHETHER OR NOT EXHIBIT WILL BE AVAILABLE FOR LISBON. GULBENKIAN IS HIGHLY INTERESTED IN PRESENTING THIS EXHIBIT AND WOULD PLAN ON SHOWING IT WITH MULTI-MEDIA APPROACH USING FILMS AND THEATRICAL WORKS. GUSMAO STATED ALSO THAT GULBENKIAN ACCEPTS ALL FINANCIAL CONDITIONS ALREADY DISCUSSED WITH MOMA. GULBENKIAN UNDERSTANDS THAT EXHIBIT MIGHT ONLY BE AVAILABLE FOR SECOND HALF DECEMBER 1978 AND HAS SET ASIDE THIS PERIOD WHILE AWAITING ANSWER.

2. EMBASSY FULLY ENDORSES GULBENKIAN INITIATIVE AND WOULD APPRECIATE DEPARTMENT PHONING DR. RATHMUNSEN REITERATING IMPORTANCE AND SERIOUSNESS OF ALL GULBENKIAN INITIATIVES.

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